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ATTN: Samuel Sinyangwe

Re: CPRA request dated October 29, 2018

Dear Mr. Sinyangwe,

We are in receipt of your request regarding records of Use of Force Incidents at the Escondido Police Department.

Enclosed is the data regarding the information requested.

If you have any further questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Barbara MarLett". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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October 29, 2018

This is a follow up to a previous request:

To Whom It May Concern:

I wanted to follow up on the following California Public Records Act request, copied below, and originally submitted on Sept. 16, 2018. Please let me know when I can expect to receive a response.

Thanks for your help, and let me know if further clarification is needed.

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On Sept. 16, 2018:

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the California Public Records Act, I hereby request the following records:

1. The total number of uses of force, by type of force used, between 2013-2017 (separated by year).
2. The total number of use of force complaints reported between 2013-2017 (separated by year).

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3. The total number of use of force complaints sustained between 2013-2017 (separated by year).

The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 10 calendar days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

Samuel Sinyangwe

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### Escondido Police Department - Type of Force Used by Year:

Use of Force Type	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Physical Force	245	218	259	271	282						
Display Firearm	154	102	147	147	121						
O.C.	11	8	7	4	8						
Display O.C.	1	1	7	3	2						
Baton	1	1	7	3	2						
Display Baton	5	9	2	4	4						
Carotid Restraint	7	2	1	7	3						
Taser	17	6	23	12	9						
Display Taser	52	30	54	46	36						
Super Sock LTL	2	2	0	1	0						
Display Super Sock	0	0	0	1	1						
40mm LTL	0	0	0	1	3						
Display 40mm LTL	0	0	0	0	5						
LR-2	17	13	18	15	23						
Spit Sock	16	14	34	38	29						
Maximum Restraints	7	13	16	6	19						
Jail Restraint Chair	9	4	6	10	4						
Spikes/Legal Intervention	0	0	0	0	0						
K-9 Contact	9	7	6	1	4						

- Single incidents may involve more than one type of force being used
- Single incidents may involve a show of force as well as a use of force
- UAVL = Data is not available (i.e. not captured, not recorded, or already purged)

**Escondido Police Department - Use of Force complaints:**

<b>Use of Force Type</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>2021</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>
Use of Force Complaint	3	2	3	3	3						
UOF Complaints Sustained	0	0	0	0	0						